AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROSECUTION - GROUP ART UNIT 1796

03500.018177 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	E ' VA
ZUYI ZHANG ET AL.	;)	Examiner: V. Nguyen Group Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/558,669	; ;	Confirmation No. 8317
Int'l Application No. PCT/JP2004/008289	; ;	Commination 10. 0317
Filed: June 8, 2004	; ;	
For: ELECTROLYTE MEMBRANE OF SILOXANE-BASED POLYMER AND SOLID POLYMER FUEL CELL UTILIZING THE SAME	; ;) ;	August 18, 2009
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Mail Stop AF		

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

A. <u>Introductory Comments</u>

In response to the final Office Action dated May 26, 2009, please amend the above-captioned application as follows and consider the remarks below.